UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE

Farm Service Agency Washington, DC 20250 **Notice PF-172**

For: State and County Offices

FY 2002 PFC Payment Rates

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Approved by: Acting Administrator, Farm Programs

1 Overview

A

Background The payment rates have been announced for FY 2002 PFC payments.

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Purpose This notice provides PFC payment rates.

C Actions Before PFC Approval

COC shall ensure that all:

- PFC signature requirements are met on FSN
- payment shares have been designated before approving PFC.

Note: Queries are being developed to process notification letters for FY 2002 PFC.

Disposal Date	Distribution
January 1, 2002	State Offices; State Offices relay to County Offices

2 Action

A KC-ITSDO Action

On or about October 19, 2001, KC-ITSDO will transmit, by telecommunications, the payment rates for FY 2002 PFC payments.

SCOAP Information Bulletin No. 2198 was sent to State Offices with T.MA.CFM file transmission information.

B Crop Data Table

County Offices shall ensure that the crop data table:

- has been received according to Information Bulletin No. 2198
- data has been verified.

C Issuing FY 2002 PFC Payments

Software to issue FY 2002 PFC payments is included in County Release No. 469. County Offices shall make every attempt to issue PFC payments in the month requested by the producer after all of the following have occurred:

- producer specifies the month the FY 2002 PFC payment should be issued
- producer specifies the percentage, either 50 or 100 percent, of the FY 2002 PFC payment requested
- all program provisions have been met according to 1-PF and COC has approved CCC-478.

Reminder: PFC payments can be processed:

- by farm
- by producer
- for a range of farms
- randomly, by selected farms
- for all farms.

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3 Production Flexibility Program Crop Table Report MAA232-R001

A Printing Report

Follow the steps in this table to print Report MAA232-R001.

MAA232-R001

Step	Menu or Screen	Action	
1	FAX250	ENTER "3" or "4", "Application Processing", and PRESS "Enter".	
2	FAX09002	Enter the appropriate county, if applicable, and PRESS "Enter".	
3	FAX07001	ENTER "9", "Common Provisions", and PRESS "Enter".	
4	MA0000	ENTER "1", "County Office Table Files Maintenance", and PRESS "Enter".	
5	MA000	ENTER "7", "Print Crop Table for Program Crops", and PRESS "Enter".	
6	MA00	ENTER "2", "Production Flexibility Program Crop Table", and PRESS "Enter".	
7	MADPRT01	Enter Printer ID, and PRESS "Enter".	
8	MAA23301	Do either of the following:	
		enter a specific crop yearENTER "ALL".	

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3 Production Flexibility Program Crop Table Report MAA232-R001 (Continued)

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Data on Report MAA232-R001 The following table describes the data on Report MAA232-R001.

Field	Description	
SL PFC Payment Rate	Rate used to calculate the SL annual contract payments.	
Beginning PFC Payment Date	Earliest date PFC payments can be issued through regular payment processing for FY 2002 is October 1, 2001.	
Ending PFC Payment Date	Last date PFC payments can be issued through regular payment processing for FY 2002 is September 30, 2002.	

C Payment Rates for FY 2002 PFC

Payments

The following table lists the FY 2002 PFC payment rates.

\$40,000 (SL Amount)				
Commodity	100 Percent Annual SL Payment Rate	50 Percent Annual SL Payment Rate		
Barley	\$0.20200000	\$0.10100000		
Corn	\$0.26100000	\$0.13050000		
Grain Sorghum	\$0.31400000	\$0.15700000		
Oats	\$0.02200000	\$0.01100000		
Rice	\$0.02050000	\$0.01025000		
Upland Cotton	\$0.05720000	\$0.02860000		
Wheat	\$0.46100000	\$0.23050000		